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RE: Amendment to filing on behalf of Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC in Docket No. T-01051B-11-0448

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing are an original and thirteen (13) copies of Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC's ("QC") amendment to its filing to revise its Access Service Price Cap Tariff, filed on December 14, 2011.

Specifically, the following changes are included:

• In Section 2, please add Page 70 to the original filing and replace Page 71 of the original filing with the attached Page 71. The aforementioned pages are attached to this letter.

QC respectfully requests that these proposed changes become effective January 11, 2012.

Sincerely,

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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

2.6 DEFINITIONS (Cont'd)

Tandem-Switched Transport (TST)

The transport between an access tandem and end offices that subtend the access tandem that utilizes tandem switching functions. Tandem-Switched Transport consists of circuits used in common by multiple customers from the tandem to an end office.

Terminating Direction

The use of Access Service for the completion of calls from a customer's premises to an end user's premises.

Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic

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The term Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic denotes a customer's interexchange voice traffic exchanged with the Telephone Company in Time Division Multiplexing format over PSTN facilities, which originates and/or terminates in Internet Protocol (IP) format. Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic originates and /or terminates in IP format when it originates from and/or terminates to an end user customer of a service that requires IP-compatible customer premises equipment.

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Traffic Type

One of six Switched Access capacity types, i.e., Originating, Terminating, Directory Assistance, CCC Originating, CCC Terminating and *SWITCHNET 56* Service. See 6.1.1, following, for application.

Transaction Capabilities Application Part (TCAP)

The design of non-circuit related messages. TCAP protocol provides a means for reliable transfer of information from one application at a switch location to another application within another network entity.

Transmission Measuring (105 Type) Test Line/Responder

An arrangement in an end office which provides far-end access to a responder and permits two-way loss and noise measurements to be made on trunks from a near end office.

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Transmission Path

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An electrical path capable of transmitting signals within the range of the service offering, e.g., a voice grade transmission path is capable of transmitting voice frequencies within the approximate range of 300 to 3000 Hz. A transmission path comprises physical or derived channels consisting of any form or configuration of facilities typically used in the telecommunications industry.

Trunk

A communications path connecting two switching systems in a network used in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.

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Trunk Group

A set of trunks which are traffic engineered as a unit for the establishment of connections between switching systems in which all of the communications paths are interchangeable.

Trunkside Connection

The connection of a transmission path to the trunk side of a local exchange switching system.

Two-Wire to Four-Wire Conversion

An arrangement which converts a four-wire transmission path to a two-wire transmission path to allow a four-wire facility to terminate in a two-wire entity (e.g., a central office switch).

Underground Utility Vault

An underground enclosure where conduits are terminated and which provides ready access to conduit systems.

Uniform Service Order Code (USOC)

A three- or five-character alphabetic, numeric, or an alphanumeric code that identifies a specific item of service or equipment. USOCs are used in the Company billing system to generate recurring rates and nonrecurring charges.

V and H Coordinates Method

A method of computing airline miles between two points by utilizing an established formula which is based on the vertical (V) and horizontal (H) coordinates of the two points.

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